THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING (SHRIMATI VASUNDHARA RAJE): (a) to (c) Central Assistance provided to Assam during 2000-01 and 2001-02 were Rs. 1520.19 crore and Rs. 1661.09 crore respectively. Rs. 1962.99 crore has been allocated for the current year 2002-03. Hence, Government had taken steps to increase Central Assistance to Assam for its economic development during the last two years.

**Government's Development Plan**

3078. SHRI AIMADUDDIN AHMED KHAN (DURRU): Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government had constituted a Group of Ministers to draw out a plan to make India a "Fully developed" nation in the fullest sense of the term within the shortest time frame; and

(b) if so, the steps taken so far in that direction by the Group of Ministers and the time-frame within which the Group of Ministers has to prepare the blueprint of such a plan of action?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING (SHRIMATI VASUNDHARA RAJE): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

**State Plan-outlay for Tenth Five Year Plan**

3079. SHRI AIMADUDDIN AHMED KHAN (DURRU): Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a)whether State plan-outlay for the Tenth FiveYear Plan for Maharashtra, Andhra Pradesh, Madhya Pradesh and Chhattisgarh have been finalised;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the total outlay, sector-wise; and

(c) the agricultural industrial and overall economic growth rate contemplated there-under and how the same compare with the contemplated overall national growth?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING (SHRIMATI VASUNDHARA RAJE): (a) and (b) The outlays for the Tenth